IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT FOR THE EASTERN DISTRICT OF NORTH CAROLINA WESTERN DIVISION No. 5:10-CR-121-D

| UNITED STATES OF AMERICA |) | |
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| v. |) | ORDER |
| BASIM ALBERT HAMAD, |) | |
| Defendant. |) | |

On January 3, 2011, defendant Basim Albert Hamad ("Hamad") filed a motion to suppress [D.E. 94] and a motion to sever count four in the second superseding indictment [D.E. 93]. The government filed a motion requesting an extension of time to respond to Hamad's motion to suppress [D.E. 95]. The government does not object to Hamad's motion to sever count four. Gov't Mot. for Extension of Time ¶ 3; see Fed. R. Crim. P. 14. Therefore, Hamad's motion to sever count four [D.E. 93] is GRANTED.

SO ORDERED. This <u>14</u> day of January 2011.

JAMES C. DEVER III United States District Judge